

W2RAC Summary of Comments from the 11/15/11 Priorities Discussion

Where should we focus our limited resources to further our statutory priorities to reduce waste and increase recycling?	Stakeholder Group Represented								
	Public Works - Counties	Public Works - Cities	Health Districts	Waste haulers	Recyclers	Tribes	Retail	NGOs	Organics
Budget Proviso is bad	✓							✓	
Product stewardship	✓	✓		✓				✓	
1-800-RECYCLE	✓			✓	✓			✓	
CPG	✓	✓	✓					✓	✓
PPG	✓							✓	
Plastic bags				✓		✓	✓	✓	
Organics / composting	✓	✓		✓			✓		
Recycling programs							✓		✓
Comingled standards								✓	
Data	✓		✓						
MRW programs							✓		
CSPA								✓	
PBTs								✓	
SW laws	✓		✓	✓	✓				
Rules	✓	✓	✓	✓					
Litter pick up and prevention	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓		
Illegal dumping / enforcement		✓	✓	✓		✓			
Fraudulent recycling/C&D (& commercial) recycling oversight		✓		✓					
Transporter registration/ enforcement		✓		✓					
TA to locals / facility compliance			✓	✓					✓
Beyond Waste					✓				
Green building	✓				✓				
What’s Missing: Are there activities we should be focusing on that aren’t on our current summarized list of program work areas?	Public Works - Counties	Public Works - Cities	Health Districts	Waste haulers	Recyclers	Tribes	Retail	NGOs	Organics
Highest and best use for recyclables								✓	
Packaging								✓	
Marine Debris	✓								
Link between locals and bag recycling							✓		
Car batteries – change fee?		✓							
Other general comments	Public Works - Counties	Public Works - Cities	Health Districts	Waste haulers	Recyclers	Tribes	Retail	NGOs	Organics
Spend money related to funding source – breakdown by what revenue source pays for				✓	✓		✓		
Look at past budgets to help prioritize	✓								
Don’t start new work now	✓								
Fund new programs on top of-not in lieu of-existing ones.	✓								
Consider cutting from management, admin and budget section				✓					
De-emphasize the following:Beyond Waste Implementation in grants; Product stewardship coordination; Green building activites; Comingled standards assistance				✓					
Get rid of regulations hurting jobs in E WA	✓								